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3 A FLUORESCENT LAMP AND METHOD

4 FOR ATTACHING A BASE MEMBER TO AN END OF SAME

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6 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

7 A fluorescent lamp includes a glass envelope having a sealed  
8 end portion, a base shell member of a cup-shape configuration  
9 adapted to engage the envelope end portion, and a collar of  
10 shrink wrap material disposed around the envelope end portion and  
11 sides of the base shell member, the shrink wrap material being  
12 shrunken and compressing against the envelope end portion and the  
13 base shell member, to fix the base shell member on the envelope  
14 end portion.